

The Union.

JUNCTION, THURSDAY, SEPT. 25, 1861.

Junction City Post Office.

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES OF THE MAIL.
Leavenworth, Atchison, and Eastern—Arrives Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday, 8 P. M.
Departs—Monday, Wednesday, Friday, 6 A. M.
Marysville and Northern—Arrives Thursday, 8 P. M. Departs Monday, 6 A. M.
Council Grove and Southern—Arrives Monday, 8 P. M. Departs Monday, 6 A. M.
Wabunsee and Topeka—Arrives Tuesday, 8 P. M. Departs Monday, 6 A. M.
Solomon City and Western—Arrives Tuesday, 6 P. M. Departs Wednesday, 6 A. M.
Office open from 6 A. M. to 9 P. M. Sunday, 8 to 9 A. M., and 5 to 6 P. M.
S. M. STRICKLER, P. M.

CITY FACTS AND FANCIES.

We return thanks to our neighbor of the *Frontier* for a friendly notice, also to the papers generally throughout the State.

By a private letter from Lawrence, we learn that arrangements for the reception of the Kansas Second had been made on an extensive scale. If the boys have been ordered to Lexington, as reported, our Lawrence friends will be quite "put out." Never mind, keep your coffee hot, and pray for better luck next time.

The Leavenworth *Times* pays us quite a compliment. They don't want to call us a lunatic, but after stating that we have "immersed" ourselves in the newspaper business, they leave their readers to "infer." Now, we would never have imagined that the quill driver of the *Times* was *non compos mentis*, although it has been apparent for many a long day; and we can find a "heap" of consolation in knowing that we are not the only crazy man in the business.

Our German citizens do not allow the present hard times to detract from their enjoyment. Dancing and music are their chief delights for pastime, and they continue to get things up in a decidedly creditable style. Some two weeks since Mr. Beckers gave a dance at Wilson's Hall which was well attended and pronounced a fair affair. Last night Mr. Bunty entertained the people with a fine ball, which passed off pleasantly, as all things do which he has the management of.

Captain J. R. McCURR—This gentleman arrived home on Monday last. The Captain lost the fore part of his foot in the engagement at Shiloh, rendering him crippled for life. We presume he is now incapacitated from serving longer in the army, though we much regret to lose the services of so efficient an officer and patriotic man. His conduct during his brief stay in the army is spoken of in meritorious terms by all with whom he was connected. For his unselfish devotion to the cause of our Government, and sacrifice he has made in its behalf, he deserves our warmest gratitude, and a place on the record of the brave.

Charley Clarke's company of cavalry, which has been for some time past filling up at Fort Riley for the Home Guard Regiment, is now fully organized, and leave to-morrow for Leavenworth, to be sworn into the service of the government. This company is composed almost exclusively of men from this vicinity—a few from Manhattan, but most of them are taken from our own county. We are personally acquainted with many of them, and we will venture to say that no more intelligent, patriotic and high minded body of men can be found in one company in the whole army. They are not actuated by any motives other than the righteousness of the cause which they have manfully espoused, and for which they are now about to do battle. The suppression of this demon-contrived rebellion; the restoration of peace and the salvation of our government, is their high ambition.—They will acquit themselves nobly when called into action.

The Junction Boys.—A rumor reached us last week that the Junction boys, now with the Kansas Second in Leavenworth, were coming home and would be here today. In accordance with this rumor our people held a meeting and made arrangements for giving them a reception; but now the report comes that they will not be here before the 6th proximo, if then. This dashes cold water on the "doings" of the committee of arrangements. But we should be prepared to receive them when they do come, and not let the present disappointment make us neglectful.

P. S.—The Tuesday night's mail brought the intelligence that the Second Kansas had been ordered to Lexington from Fort Leavenworth. They were just on the point of leaving for Lawrence, where grand preparations were making for their reception, when the order came "Forward to Lexington."

HOME GUARDS AND REBELS—PATRISERS.

Under the above caption a correspondent of the Topeka *Record* writes a lengthy communication, from which we make the following extract. Traitors of the kind herein described are plenty hereabouts:

"Treason has become chronic in Missouri, and, hydra like, a head is no sooner lopped off in one place than a dozen become visible in another. And now that the traitors have undisputed possession of nearly the whole of the Southern and Western portions of that State, large sections of which have already been thoroughly despoiled and devastated, there are the strongest reasons for believing that the enemy will, as early as possible, change the seat of war to Kansas, partly as a measure of army subsistence and partly and more especially, as a political measure; thereby advancing their troops into the enemy's country, and gaining prestige and influence abroad by a recorded but perhaps insignificant fact. We must propose for the emergencies that are in store for us. The struggle effects our national life and property. Unless the government be sustained and rendered triumphant, we will have no country! Our only safety rests upon the unanimity spirit and determination with which men of the North aid in crushing out treason. No pale livered peace men, no political compromisers; no whining misers, creaking over taxation; should be tolerated or countenanced for a moment. Such men are more dangerous to the cause than they would be, with arms in their hands in the enemy's ranks. They are no less traitors to the Union, for they thereby give 'aid and comfort' to the enemy. Whatever may be the result of primary movements of our army, success is ultimately certain. The war must and will be waged till the authority of our constitutional government is restored and acknowledged in every portion of the country as it was a year ago. True, thus far, our troops have accomplished but little, as the first of 75,000 three months volunteers were of but little use, and the season has been to prohibit forward movements of importance.—But the time is now at hand for active measures, and there is every reason to believe that results will speedily surprise the enemy as well as foreign nations.

FROM WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.—The following official dispatch was received at Gen. McClellan's headquarters to day:

BRAINSTOWN, Md., Sept. 15.
This evening, at half past three o'clock, about 450 rebels attacked the extreme right of my pickets, about three miles above this place, opposite Pritchard's Mill. The affair was a spirited one, lasting about two hours. The enemy were driven from every house and breastwork they occupied. Eight or ten of them are said to be killed, and several wounded. Our loss was one killed. Our victory was complete. The troops behaved admirably. Our cannon were indispensable and rendered good service in the action.
Signed, J. W. GARY,
Colonel 28th Penn. Reg't.

THE WAR FOR THE UNION.

We, who are far away from the camp and battle-field are quite too much disposed to ensure those who are engaged in the bloody conflict. It is easy to stand back and criticize the Administration and the soldier, and denounce the inefficiency of the Government, and cry out against the disgraceful retreat of these in arms. We confess, that in common with others, we have felt restive and impatient, and been disposed to fault those in authority, and we frankly admit that our head was bowed very low, and we felt sick at heart, at the news of the battle at Bull's Run. But we fear that we have been in haste to censure those who fought, perhaps, more bravely than we should ourselves. It's no child's play to stand on the battle-field and see brave comrades cut in pieces, and be mangled and torn ourselves, or fall in our own blood! Many of us perhaps who condemn others for retreating so shamefully, might have run more swiftly had we occupied their places!

And very likely many of us, who now condemn the inefficiency of the administration, are wholly ignorant of the difficulties which surround our government and which retard its labors. The rebellion is gigantic, the traitors are resolute and determined in their fiendish purposes, and have staked all in this contest. It is life or death forever with them. Never before was such a contest waged. It is a guerrilla warfare. The monster is hydra-headed, and in different localities, he darts his forked tongue and hisses at the goddess of liberty! Simultaneously rebellious parties in different states, rise up to slay those who are friendly to constitutional liberty. And as the rebellion is so wide-spread, it is unreasonable to suppose that it can be suppressed in a day. We should not murmur that so little has been done; we are rather surprised that so much has already been accomplished. It is no mean task to call together an army of two hundred thousand men, and arm and equip them as "the law directs." Wholly unprepared as our government was for such a conflict it is marvelous that so much has been accomplished in so short space of time! We ought not to despair of our country nor censure our government too severely. The administration, at first perhaps did not fully appreciate the magnitude of the rebellion, nor comprehend the real purposes of the traitors; but, it is now aware of the true aims of the traitors, and is employing all its energies to save our nationality and suppress the rebellion. It needs the sympathy and co-operation of all true patriots. It is no time now to murmur and find fault. Our duty is to strengthen and help sustain the government and preserve our institutions which have made us a great and noble nation. We shall not lose our nationality

but the glorious institutions bequeathed to us by our fathers, shall be preserved, and the Union which was cemented with their blood shall be maintained. We should not despair, but be full of faith and courage. Let every patriot do his duty to his country, and may God speed the right. LONG LIVE THE REPUBLIC!—Chicago Covenant.

Mr. J. P. Wiley is improving his corner. His intention is to put up a four story brick, as soon as he can complete his arrangements for procuring the material.—We believe Mr. Wiley's corner to be the best stand for business we have in town, and we are glad to see that it is justly appreciated by its owner.

ON TO RICHMOND.

The gentle public need not be alarmed. We do not intimate a new military movement on the pattern of one attempted two months ago. We do not intimate one at all, but merely give the intelligence to the country that Richmond is yet considered at Washington, to be a good place to go to—perhaps to "reconnoitre in force." A correspondent of a Philadelphia paper, in a favorable position to know, writes that the War Department has decided to send seventy-five or eighty of the first regiments organized at Washington, to Fortress Monroe, to reinforce General Wool, with the ultimate design of marching on Richmond from that point.—N. Y. Times.

Married.
On the 29th inst., by the Rev. C. E. Blood, Miss ERNESTINE GREEN to Mr. JESSE J. BREWER, all of Riley county.

New Advertisements.

Frank Jehle,
BOOT AND SHOE
MAKER,
CORNER WASHINGTON & 7th STREETS,
Junction City, Kansas.
REPAIRING done on short notice. TERMS CASH.

NEWS DEPOT!

Milton E. Clark,
AT THE POST OFFICE, KEEPS THE LEAVENWORTH, ST. LOUIS, AND NEW YORK DAILY AND WEEKLY PAPERS. ALSO, Paper, Pens, Ink, Envelopes, and Notions generally.

EDWARD W. SEYMOUR, M.D.,
PHYSICIAN, SURGEON,
AND
ACCOCHEUR,
OFFICE, AT THE CITY DRUG STORE,
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F. M. FLETCHER,
CARPENTER AND BUILDER,
Junction City, Kansas.
WILL ATTEND TO THE ERECTION OF all kinds of Buildings with neatness and dispatch. ²¹/₁₆ PLANS and SPECIFICATIONS furnished.

S. B. WHITE,
ATTORNEY & COUNSELLOR
At Law,
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WILL PROMPTLY ATTEND TO ALL business entrusted to his care in Western Kansas.

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House,
SIGN,
ORNAMENTAL PAINTER,
JUNCTION CITY, KANSAS.

Woodbridge Odlin,
ATTORNEY & COUNSELLOR
AT LAW,
JUNCTION CITY, KANSAS,
PRACTICES IN ALL THE COURTS OF the State. Taxes paid for non residents; titles examined, and locations of desirable tracts of land in Central or Western Kansas promptly attended to at reasonable rates. ²¹/₁₆ Collections made in any part of the State.

City Bakery.
Washington Street, between 6th and 7th,
JUNCTION, KANSAS,
W. BECKER, Proprietor.

FAMILIES
SUPPLIED WITH
BREAD AND CAKE.
Wines, Liquors, Tobacco,
CIGARS AND CANDY, ALL CHEAP,
²¹/₁₆ FOR CASH!

JOHN H. KARNAN,
DEALER IN
STOVES,
and all kinds of
Tin Ware, Sheet Iron, &c.
A supply of everything in his line sufficient for the wants of Western Kansas.
Repairing done on the shortest notice. ²¹/₁₆

EAGLE HOTEL
Junction City, Kansas.
SAMUEL ORR. P. E. WESTON
Proprietors.
THIS HOUSE IS CONVENIENT TO THE business centre of the city. No pains will be spared to make everything satisfactory and comfortable to our guests. Public patronage respectfully solicited.
²¹/₁₆ A GOOD LIVERY AND FEED STABLE in connection.

G. W. ANDERSON. W. E. NICELY.

ANDERSON & NICELY,
DEALERS IN
FANCY
AND
STAPLE
DRY GOODS,
CLOTHING,
Boots and Shoes.
Hats and Caps,
QUEENSWARE & GROCERIES
COR. KANSAS AV. & FIFTH ST.,
Topeka, Kansas.

HIGHEST MARKET PRICE
paid for
COUNTRY PRODUCE.
JAKE SMITH,
WHOLESALE
AND
RETAIL
DEALER IN
HARDWARE, IRON, NAILS,
Glass, Sash and Doors,
STOVES AND TINWARE,
AND
AGRICULTURAL
IMPLEMENTS
TOPEKA, KANSAS.

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DEALER IN
HATS AND CAPS,
BOOTS AND SHOES,
AND
CLOTHING,
POST OFFICE BUILDING,
Topeka, Kansas.

GROSS & THIELE,
MANUFACTURERS
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FURNITURE,
JUNCTION CITY, KANSAS.
COFFINS made with neatness and dispatch. MATTRESSES of all kinds constantly on hand. All orders filled on short notice.

FRED. P. DREW,
SURGEON, ACCOCHEUR,
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PHYSICIAN.
OFFICE, AT THE EAGLE HOTEL,
Junction City, Kansas.

Notice
CALL and SETTLE!
ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO ME BY note or book account, will please call and settle without delay, and save costs. I will take in payment FAT CATTLE at the market price.
Persons having cattle that they will sell for notes against good men, or goods out of my store, can find a market for them with the undersigned.
ROBERT WILSON,
Post Butler, Fort Riley.

HARPER, GODEY, PETERSON, AND
all the popular monthly Magazines, for sale at the
CITY DRUG STORE.

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W. E. SUTLIFF,
Merchant Tailor,
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A. T. WINCHELL,
WHOLESALE DEALER IN
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Liquors, Tobacco,
CIGARS, AND FANCY GROCERIES,
Opposite Eldridge House, Lawrence, Kansas.
²¹/₁₆ Orders from the country filled at St. Louis prices, freight added.

O. WILMARTH,
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BOOKS, STATIONERY,
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ALSO, BLANK BOOKS OF EVERY DESCRIPTION, School books. All the latest made constantly on hand. New maps of the seat of war in Virginia and Missouri. All orders by mail promptly attended to.

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EXHIBITION!!
GREAT NOVELTY
OF
THE SEASON
STREET & STRICKLER,
PROPRIETORS
M. E. CLARK, Manager.

SECOND SEASON OF OUR ENGAGEMENT WITH
THE PUBLIC!
35th PERFORMANCES
Of the Grand Moral and Domestic Drama of
HOW TO MAKE MONEY;
OR,
Buy Your Goods at Strickler's!
Which was witnessed by over 50,000 persons last season with unbounded satisfaction.

Tuesday, September 3, 1861,
And every day until further notice, will be presented the deeply affecting and highly interesting play of
HOW TO MAKE MONEY!
with an entire change of Scenery and Appointments. The following are the leading incidents in the play:
SCENE—Post Office Building, Washington Street, between 7th and 8th.

Broche Shawls, Chamberlains, Valenciennes, Stilla do Black Silks, Gingham, Wool do Fancy do Silk Vests, Cassimered do Ladies' Cloth, Opera Hoods, Thibet do French Merinos, Cashmeres, Saxony Plaids, Opera Flannels, Pannettas, Gala do Wool Delaines, Colours, Silk do Muslin do Alpaccas.

After which will be brought out the charming little COMEDY of
VARIETIES,
CAST TO THE STRENGTH OF THE WHOLE COMPANY,
and in which the AUDIENCE will undoubtedly BE HIGHLY INTERESTED.

Ladies' Merino Vests, Black Cassimeres, Ladies' Scarfs, Fancy do Counterpanes, Embroidered Collars, Men's Wrappers, do Sleeves, do Drawers, do Hdkfs, do Flouncing, Kerseys, Satinets, do Insertings, Vestings, Keny Jeans, Canton Flannels, Gloves, Mittens, Denims, Stripes, Ticks, Linsey Woolseys, Table Oil Cloths, Damasks, Tweeds, Sheep's Greys, Nankeens, Broad Cloths.

THE EXHIBITION WILL CONCLUDE WITH THE LAUGHABLE FARCE OF
STARVING KANSAS,
OR
HARD TIMES made EASY!
In which will appear, to the great delight of the AUDIENCE,

BEANS
FLOUR,
MEAL,
CORN,
WINTER WHEAT,
(FOR SEED.)
ONIONS,
POTATOES,
CIDER VINEGAR,
CRACKERS, &c.

As an evidence of the popularity of the above COMEDY we need only refer the public to the IMMENSE CROWDS which were swayed by its CHARMING EFFECT during its play in Atchison last winter. We also take pleasure in referring to the unbounded and highly flattering opinions of its merits which it has everywhere elicited from the CRITICS OF THE PRESS!

We now, at a GREAT SACRIFICE, bring before the PEOPLE OF JUNCTION CITY this dramatic composition, intended as it is to represent the lighter passions and actions of mankind, which are to be limited in language, dress, and manner, by actors, for the entertainment of the spectators. The termination of the INTRIGUE is happy, and the DESIGN IS AMUSEMENT!

After the above an intermission of one hour will be had to allow those making HEAVY PURCHASES time for dinner. Immediately after which we will "elevate the dry goods" and present to the audience, as an AFTER-PIECE, the amusing farce of,
MULTUM IN PARVO,
OR
A LITTLE OF EVERYTHING!

The following being but a small proportion of various articles that will be exhibited:
Irish Linens, Silk Lace, Knitting Cotton, Swiss Muslin, Braided Muslins, Crash, Grain Bags, Cambrics, Tassels, Hoop Skirts, Apron Checks, Suspenders, Combs, Belts, Buckskin Mittens, Napkins, Men's Boots, Men's Shoes, Boy's Boots and Shoes, Women's Shoes, Children's Shoes, Rubbers, Satchels, Whips, Men's and Boys' Hats, Men's and Boys' Caps, Trunks, Buckskin Gloves, Woolen Yarn, Men's and Boys' Clothing, Hardware, Queensware, Glass, Putty, Old Bourbon, Holland, Pure Wines & Brandies, Gin.

The Proprietors have no hesitation in guaranteeing the most perfect satisfaction to all who may visit our mammoth amphitheatre. Any person dissatisfied with any part of the performance will have his money refunded. None are expected to visit it except those in pursuit of the choicest, cheapest, largest, and most desirable Stock of Goods ever brought into Junction City.

TICKETS GRATIS, (TO BE HAD AT THE DOOR.)
FRONT SEATS
RESERVED FOR LADIES.
DOORS OPEN AT 6—PERFORMANCES BEGIN AT 7.
STREET & STRICKLER,
Junction City, September 3, 1861.

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Topeka, Kansas.
OFFICE, TWO DOORS SOUTH OF MILLS'S HALL.
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DOW & OTIS,
ATTORNEYS,
COUNSELLORS AT LAW,
Topeka, Kansas.

TOPEKA HOUSE,
J. STEWART, Proprietor.
KANSAS AVENUE, NEARLY OPPOSITE P. O.,
Topeka, Kansas.
GOOD STABLE ACCOMMODATIONS attached.

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WHOLESALE & RETAIL DEALERS IN
Foreign and Domestic Liquors,
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KANSAS AV. OPPOSITE THE POST OFFICE,
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Groceries and Provisions,
KANSAS AVENUE, NEAR SIXTH ST.,
Topeka, Kansas.

CHASE HOUSE,
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THE ABOVE HOUSE HAVING UNDERGONE a thorough renovation, and being pleasantly and centrally located in this thriving city, travellers will find it a pleasant stopping place.

Kellam Brothers,
DEALERS IN
DRUGS & MEDICINES,
PAINTS, OILS, DYE-STUFFS,
&c., &c., &c.
ALSO AGENTS FOR ALL
PATENT MEDICINES.
CITY DRUG STORE,
Topeka, Kansas.

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LAWYERS & LAND AGENTS,
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G. W. SAPP,
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WILL ATTEND TO ALL BUSINESS entrusted to him. Collections made and promptly returned. Taxes paid for non-residents; all letters addressed to him will meet prompt attention.
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SCHOOL AND MISCELLANEOUS BOOKS,
Periodicals,
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Post Office Building, Kansas Avenue,
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Eastern Publications received regularly and furnished to order.

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WILL DO ALL THINGS IN THE LINE of a
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guaranteeing HONESTY and FAIR DEALING with his Patrons NINE TIMES OUT OF TEN! What will you have?

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DRUG STORE,
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WASHINGTON STREET, JUNCTION CITY.
RESPECTFULLY CALLS THE ATTENTION of the public to his large and well-selected stock of
Drugs and Chemicals,
PAINTS, DYE STUFFS, OILS, PERFUMERY, &c., &c.

Having largely increased his stock of late, he feels confident of satisfying every one who has anything in his line, as his assortment is not surpassed west of the Missouri River. He is also Agent for, and has a large stock of popular Patent Medicines of the day. A very fine stock of pure WINES and LIQUORS for medicinal purposes only.
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